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# TALK



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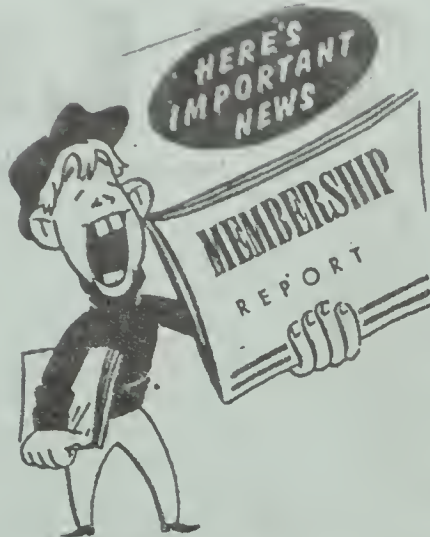
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## WELCOME THESE NEW MEMBERS TO NSCA

Name in (parens) receives CONTEST CREDIT !! YOU can be the winner in the contest now underway! Contest closes May 1993.

- 1557. Dave Gresko, 4134 Forest Lawn Dr., Toledo, OH 43611 (John Podgurski)
- 1562. Robert F. Slawsky, 2457A So. Hiawassee Rd., Suite #303, Orlando, FL 32835
- 1563. Bill Sevier, Box 302, Somerville, IN 47683 (M. Ballard)
- 1564. James H. Hayes, 1801 Llewellyn Drive, Fort Myers, FL 33901
- 1565. John D. Mosley, 327 Ridgecrest Ave., Los Alamos, NM 87544
- 1566. John W. Miller, 7302 Glen Arbor Rd., Louisville, KY 40222 (J. Singleton)
- 1567. Roy Hatfield, Box 78, Tazewell, TN 37879 (Chas. Moore)

## ATTENTION !!

WE NOW NEED A CONSIGNMENT OF GOOD RARITY TOKENS FOR THE MAIL AUCTION SALE  
REMEMBER: The commission rate is only 20% on items that sell and you can specify "minimum bids" on lots if you desire!

We need lists of the tokens submitted using the same format that we use to list the items in the Mail Auction Sale in each bulletin!! We cannot, of course, list low rarity items unless they are grouped in lots. See the lists in this sale!!

### NATIONAL SCRIP COLLECTORS ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

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P. O. Box 29  
Fayetteville, WV 25840

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The janitor recently had an opportunity to talk with the man who now runs the former New River Company operations. He had inventoried all of the remaining scrip in the company safe and is attempting to put together a set from each location. In order to help you with your New River sets I am listing the items that he found still in the safe. **NOTE:** Items listed were in the safe - I don't know the quantities still there. Mt. Hope 1 -\$1, 5c; Scarbro 2 -10c, 5c, 1c; Carlisle 3 - \$5, \$1, 50c, 25c, 10c, 5c, 1c; Whipple 4 - None; Cranberry 5- \$1, 50c, 25c, 10c, 5c; Summerlee 6 -\$5, \$1, 50c, 25c, 10c, 5c; Summerlee 6 (underlined)-\$5, \$1, 10c, 5c; Lochgelly 7 - \$5, \$1, 50c, 25c, 10c, 5c; Sprague 8 -\$5; Skelton 9 -\$5; Wickham 1c; Stanaford 11 -\$1, 50c, 25c, 10c, 5c, 1c; Harvey 12 - 10c, 5c, 1c; Glen Jean 13 -\$5 thru 1c found; Price Hill 14 - \$5 thru 1c found; Kilsyth 15 -\$1, 25c, 10c, 5c; Oswald 16 -1c; Kilsyth K -\$5, \$1, 25c, 10c, 1c; Mabscott M -None.

.....Scriptor Dennis Owens of Haysi, VA needs help on locating a token -M.T. McArthur & Co./Due/In Mdse./5¢ - Blank reverse. If you can help, drop me a note and I will forward to Dennis....Scriptor Bill Sevier, Box 302, Somerville, IN 47683 (Phone: 812/795/2532) has an AMERICAN LAMP & SPECIALITY CO. Carbide Lamp used but in good condition with flame tube missing. Will hold for one month for offers....Scriptor R. R. Tippy pens that he visited with Scriptor Jim Cooper in Middlesboro after attending the Cumberland, KY show. Tip noted that he was very alert and had his NSCA Fred Lange award hanging on the wall of his room. Tip also mentioned that someone had "lifted" the \$60.00 NSCA Anniversary medals from his bourse table during the show.....Tip also passed along a note from Scriptor Dave Zegeer of KY. Dave hopes to attend some of our future convention meetings....As noted on the Mail Sale listings in this issue, we urgently need a consignment of higher rarity tokens for future sales. We are out of good material to list. Just make up a list (like the lots listed) of the items you submit and note any defects. You can, of course, specific minimum bids if required. The commission is only 20% on items that sell and you will receive a computer listing of all sales results so that you can compare with the Prices Realized listings in each issue. The proceeds from the sale helps to keep the bulletin coming your way. Please help by submitting good tokens! We cannot fill up with 173 listings in each bulletin with common low rarity items.....

.....It becomes more and more of a struggle to get out each issue and YOU can help by submitting some brief articles for publication. Too, remember that a nice engraved trophy is given each year for the best article in the bulletin.....

.....We still have a few sets of the 6 piece 20th Anniversary medals priced at \$60.00 per set. One of the medals is .999 fine silver and features the NSCA logo. A FREE NSCA CAP is included with each order of the medals. See the last issue of "SCRIP TALK" for more complete details. Send your order to the Editor.....We hope to have in this issue details on ordering the plastic meeting tokens. Details should be in President Ballard's column. He notes that a few complete sets are available and many other pieces. This is a nice item to add to your collections so don't miss out on these. Included will be the four tokens that were not previously issued for the four meetings that Tom Hitt served as President of NSCA.



"MARK MY WORDS"

D. MARK BALLARD, PRESIDENT  
NATIONAL SCRIP COLLECTORS ASSOCIATION  
1204 Anderson Drive, Marion, Illinois 62959

MAKE YOUR PLANS NOW FOR THE FALL 1992 SHOW IN HUNTINGTON, WV. HOST JIM LACKEY IS HARD AT WORK TO INSURE A SUCCESSFUL EVENT! Tippy has sent out news releases to many publications! Rooms will cost \$50.00 plus tax and your bourse table will be FREE with the purchase of a ticket for the banquet at \$12.50. There is plenty of parking space on all sides of the motel. Reservations can be made now by contacting Holiday Inn Downtown, Huntington, WV - PHONE 304/525/7741 OR 1/800/HOLIDAY!

.....We regret to announce the passing of Becky Bernstein, wife of Lester. Becky was a sweet lady and she attended most of our recent shows. She will be missed.....At the Cumberland, KY show, two different collectors had a few things missing from their tables. I hope that this stops but if it continues, very serious consequences will result!! Too, we have had several complaints about EXPELLED MEMBERS bidding in the auction sales. By a vote of 7 to 2 by the Executive Committee, EXPELLED MEMBERS WILL NO LONGER BE ABLE TO PLACE BIDS IN THE NSCA AUCTION SALES!! .....I need a report from committee on the BEST ARTICLE in "SCRIP TALK" during the past year so that the award can be presented at the Fall 1992 show..... PLEASE LET ME KNOW IF YOU WILL WANT A BOURSE TABLE FOR THE HUNTINGTON, WV SHOW SO THAT WE CAN MAKE THE ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE MOTEL!! Too, please let me know if you plan to have an exhibit of scrip or other mining artifacts. These displays attract lots of attention and we need more participation by the membership!!

.....Also, don't forget to get your R9 and R10 tokens to Bill Williams so that the Mail-Floor Auction Sale for Huntington can be completed.....Tip and I just returned from the International Paper Money Show in Memphis, TN. I saw Scriptor Jim Thompson at the show and I never saw so much money in my life!! A lot of good paper scrip was available - some coal along with stocks, bonds and misc. tokens.

.....I HAVE COMPLETED THE LISTINGS OF THE PLASTIC MEETING TOKENS THAT ARE NOW AVAILABLE TO MEMBERS!! There are ONLY 36 complete sets available of the tokens and these include the four meetings during which Tom Hitt was President of NSCA (not previously made). Too, I will limit the number of complete sets to any one buyer so that all members can have a shot at them. The sets will be \$7.25 plus 75¢ postage or a total of \$8.00. Individual tokens will be 25¢ each plus postage while they last. Please include a SASE with each order....Locations available include the following: Fall 1983 -Oak Ridge, TN; Spring - 1984 -Cumberland Gap, TN; Fall -1984 - Oak Hill, WV; Spring -1985 (token says Fall) -Duffield, VA; Fall -1985 -Bridgeport, WV; Spring -1986 -Beckley, WV; Fall -1986 -Pineville, KY; Spring - 1987 -Oak Hill, WV; Fall -1987 -Prestonsburg, KY; Spring -1988 - Bridgeport, WV; Fall -1988 -Bluefield, WV; Spring -1989 -Paintsville, KY; Fall - 1989 - Oak Hill, WV; Spring -1990 -Cumberland Gap, TN; Fall -1990 - Oak Hill, WV; Spring -1991 -Nelsonville, OH; Fall -1991 -Bridgeport, WV; Fall -1991 -Bridgeport, WV (Misprint -No Date); Spring -1992 -Cumberland, KY.....Send your orders to me (NOT to Walter). After a reasonable time, bids will be accepted on all remaining tokens!!

*D. Mark Ballard*



## 47: Items Listings

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tem	Description
117	WARD -Valley Camp 2941G5; G10 R7; H1 R7; M1 R6 (4) -MB \$15.
118	VIVIAN -Peerless Coal 2913D5; D10; D25; D100b (4 pcs)
119	ANSTED -Gauley Mtn -93A10b; A50 R6; A100 R6; A500 R8-MB \$17.
120	AMHERSTDALE-Guyan Eagle 81Y5; Y10; Y25 R7; Y100a; U50; U100-MB\$14
121	HENLAWSON-Merrill Stores ***SET 1295G5 thru G100
122	ANJEAN -Leckie Smokeless-91B1; B5; B10; A50; A100 (5 pcs)
123	MONONGAH -F K Lowes Mkt -1943E10; C25; C50; D100 R6 (4)-MB \$8.
124	FARMINGTON-W H Dawson -***SET 995A5 thru A100 (R5's)-MB\$13.
125	HIAWATHA- Ennis C & C -1315G10; G25; G50; I100 (4 pcs)
126	HOT COAL -Gulf Coal -***SET 1353A5 thru A100 (5 pcs)-MB \$6.
127	CRANE CREEK- American Coal ***SET 690D5 thru D100; D1 (6)
128	LESLIE-Seneca Stores 1613F5; E10; F25; F50; F100 R6's-R7MB\$26.50
129	RONCEVERTE- Seneca Stores 2453A5; A10; A50; A100 (4 pcs)
130	RIVESVILLE-Joseph Morrone -2415A1a; A10; A25; A50; A100 (5)
131	RIVESVILLE -Same except 2415B10; B25; B50; B100 (4)
132	LOGAN -Herman Grocery ***SET 1661G5 thru G50 (4)
133	JERE -John R Koval-***SET 1445B5 thru B100 (5 pcs) MB \$7.00
134	DELBARTON-New Era Coal 769D1b; B5b; B10; B25; B50; B100 (6)
135	QUICK-Fred Shamblin ***SET 2324A5 thru A100 (5) MB \$6.00
136	ETHEL-Wanda Mining ***SET 967N5 thru N100 (5 pcs)
137	AMIGO-Amigo Smokeless 83F1; ***SET F5b thru F100 (6) MB\$14.00
138	WYCO -Wyoming Coal 3101A1; A5; A10a; A100; B5; B10 (6) MB\$11.50
139	SABINE- Belle Mead 2489B5; B10; B25; A50; A100; C1; C5; C10-MB\$12.
140	CROWN HILL-Riverton 703D5b; D10; D25; D100; J1; K1; G1; E50-MB\$12.
141	CROWN-Lax Dept 702E5; E25 R8; E50; E100 R6; (\$ pcs) -MB \$14.00
142	ETHEL -Ames Mining 467J10; J25; J50; J100 all unc (4 pcs)
143	MOHEGAN-Buds Cash Store 1933C1; C10; C25; C50; C100; D100 (6 pcs)
144	REED-Hatfield Campbell Creek 2377A1; A5; A10; A50; A100 (5 pcs)
145	CUNARD -Coal Run 717A1; ***SET A5 thru A100 (6 pcs)
146	CUNARD -Same except 717B5a; B10; B25; B50; B500b (5)-MB \$7.00
147	GLEN ALUM -Glen Alum Coal ***SET1123A5 thru A50 (4 pcs)
148	CARBON-Carbon Fuel Co -469C1; ***SET C5 thru C100 (CONT 149)
149	LOT 148 Cont -469C500; D1; A500 R6 (9 pcs) MB \$11.00
150	BURCH -William Ann -***SET 413C5 thru C100 (R6 thru R8)MB\$27
151	AJAX, KY -Ajax Coal Co -***SET 31A5 thru A100 (5 pcs)
152	ALLOCK, KY -Carrs Fork Coal -61A10
153	ALLOWAY -East Kentucky Coal -62A50 -R8
154	BLUE DIAMOND -Blue Diamond UL Orco 1 \$1 (worn)-Q500 R7 (2)
155	CHEVROLET -Crown Coal -541A50 -R8
156	CHEVROLET -Blue Diamond Coal -541C10; C100b (2 pcs)
157	COMBS -Sunfire Coal Co -645A10 -R9
158	CRUMMIES-Crummies Creek-705B1; D1; B5; B10; B25b; B100b; B100a (7)
159	DRAPER -East Harlan Coal -839A199 -R7
160	DRIFT -Ernest Turner -841I10
161	DRIFT -E S Myers -841K5
162	FOUR MILE -Belva Stores -1055C25; D25; D10; D25 (4 pcs)
163	FOUR MILE -Belva Stores -1055C10; C25; C50 (3 pcs)
164	FORKTON, KY-O L Railey G/F 5c; 10c; 25c; 50 (4) br -unk mfg
165	FOX RIDGE -Coleman Mining (pictorial)- 1057A5
166	HARDBURLY-H B M(ining) -unique Ident Tag (some damage)
167	HARDY -Canada's Store -G/F 50c trade -alum -unf mfg
168	HARLAN -Clover Fork Coal -1231K25 -R7
169	HYDEN-Morgan Lumber ***SET 5c thru \$1 -(5 pcs)-br unk mfg
170	LIVERMORE -Green River Chair (lumber) R8 -\$1.20 alum token
171	MIDDLESBORO -Railroad Cafe -1c br-Ingle O9
172	MIDDLESBOROUGH -Kings Daughters Hospital G/F 1 day hospital
173	MINE STATION -Wallsend Mercantile -1919A25



Item	Description	Min
59	FORK RIDGE -Fork Ridge Mng -***SET 1047D5 thru D100 MB \$20.	
60	GARLAND -Pewee Coal -1087A5; A10; A100; B100 (4 pcs)	
61	DEVONIA -Diamond Coal -783A25; B50 (2 pcs)	
62	PETROS - Diamond Coal -2209C50; C100 (2 pcs)	
63	ROSEDALE - Diamond Coal -2461B5; B10 (2 pcs)	
64	JEWELL RIDGE -Jewell Ridge 1441C1; C1b; C5; C10a; C25 (5 pcs)	
65	JEWELL RIDGE -Same except 1441E1; E5; E10; E25 (4 pcs)...	
66	JEWELL RIDGE -Same except 1449F1; ***SET F5 thru F100; F500	
67	JEWELL VALLEY -Jewell Ridge 1451A1; A5; A10 (3 pcs)	
68	PENNINGTON GAP -Lyttle Pennington -2205E5; E25; E50 (3 pcs)	
69	BORDERLAND, WV -Borderland Coal 345B10 (rev wear); B25; B50	
70	METTER, GA -Metter Lumber Co-G/F 10c trade-AU -unk mfg-MB \$5	
71	CARBONADO, WA -Carbon Hill Coal -471A100 -Fine -MB \$10.00	
72	A FINE CONSIGNMENT FROM A SOUTH CAROLINA COLLECTOR !!	
73	DEVONIA, TN - Trimore Coal ***SET 783C5 thru C100 -MB \$6.50	
74	CLAIRFIELD, TN -Va Jellico Coal -557G10; G25; G50	
75	FORK MTN, TN -Fork Mountain Coal 1045D3; D5; D25 (fiber)	
76	CLINCHMORE -Clinchmore Coal -583B10b; B100 (2 pcs)	
77	SALTSBURG, PA -Kiskiminetas ***SET 2505A5 thru A100 MB\$35.00	
78	OSCEOLA -Leader Supply -2139A5; A100; A500; A1000-MB \$20.50	
79	MADERA -Liberty Trading ***SET 1733D5 thru D100; D500 MB\$18.	
80	MAPLE RUN -Maple Store 1783A5; A10; A25; A50; B100; A1 (6 pcs)	
81	HYMERA, IN -Asbury & Walters -***SET 1374A5 thru A100 MB \$6.	
82	CARDIFF, AL -Tombrello Coal -481A50; A100 (2 pcs) -MB \$5.75	
83	PEERLESS, UT -Peerless Store 2196A100	
84	BENTON, IL-Young Merc -***SET 223A5 thru A100 -MB \$7.00	
85	ORIENT -West Frankfort ***SET 2133A5 thru A100; A500 -MB\$16.	
86	CARBON, OK- Carbon Coal Co-469A50; A100 (R7's)-MB \$10.00	
87	DEWAR, OK -The Seymour Co -785A100.	
88	BRIDGER, MT -Bridger Merc -***SET 443A5 thru A100 -MB \$10.00	
89	CAMEO, CO- Rush Mercantile ***SET 443A5 thru A100 -MB \$10.00	
90	ALAMO, CO -Alamo Merc -34A5; A10; A25; A50 (4 pcs)-MB \$21.50	
91	STRAWN, TX- Strawn Coal 2701B5; B50; B100; B500 (4 pcs)-MB\$28.	
92	EVERIST, IA- Everist Merc 979A5; A10; A25; A50 (4 pcs)-MB \$11.	
93	VELVA, ND -Truax-Traer -2891A5; A25; A50; A100 (4 pcs)-MB \$22.	
94	ST. CHARLES, VA-Benedict Coal 2495Q5; R10; T25; T50; T100	
95	BLACKWOOD, VA-Gibson Fuel ***SET 291C5 thru C100 -MB \$6.00	
96	ROSEANN, VA -Panther Coal (Pictorial) -Unc -2459A25	
97	SABINE, WV -Belle Mead 2489C1; B5; B10; B25; A50; A100 (6 pcs)	
98	SCARBRO, WV -New River Co ***SET 2531F5 thru F100 (5 pcs)	
99	SCARBRO -Same except 2531F5; F25; F50; F100 (4 pcs)	
100	LUNDALE -Logan Co Coal 1697N10; N25; N100; N500; O500; P500-MB\$16	
101	HUGHESTON-Kanawha Coals 1365D1a; ***SET C5 thru C100 -MB \$7.	
102	CEDAR GROVE -Kanawha By Product 513B1; B25; B50; B100-MB \$16.50	
103	CARBON-Carbon Fuel -469C1; C5; C25; C50; C100; C500 (6 pcs)-MB \$8	
104	CASCADE -Preston Co Supply 503A1; ***SET A5 thru A100 -MB \$8.	
105	LAWTON -Hemlock Hollow -1583G10; F25a; F50; F100 (4 pcs)-MB \$19	
106	CAMEO -Cameo Splint 443B1; B5; B5 sld; B10; B25; B50 (6)-MB \$10.	
107	ETHEL-Chilton Block -967M1a; L5; L10; L25b; L50a; L100a (6)	
108	THIS COLLECTION TOP QUALITY -ALL NEATLY LABELED WITH CAT NOS	
109	MALDEN -Pioneer Coal (1st WV scrip?)-***SET 1757 A5 thru A100	
110	HUGHESTON -Kanawha Coals -***SET 1365C5 thru C100; D1a (6)	
111	KERMIT -Earlston Coal 1501A5c; A10c; A50a; A100a (4)-MB \$11.00	
112	CASSVILLE -Isaac Domire ***SET 505E5 thru E100; E1 (6)-MB \$6.	
113	ELKHORN -Crozer Coal -899F5a; F5b; F10 thru F100 -MB \$7.50	
114	CASCADE -Preston Co -***SET 503A5 thru A100; A1 (6)-MB \$7.50	
115	SUPERIOR -Lake Superior 2723D5a; A10; B25; D50; D100; G100; K100	
116	OTSEGO-Brule Smokeless 2145G5; G10; G25; G50; F100 (5 pcs)	